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Title:

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Sir:

The applicant in the captioned application hereby declares that the invention claimed in the captioned application was made and disclosed no later than April 28, 1999. Attached hereto as Exhibit 1 is a copy an Invention Disclosure which discloses the invention and which is dated April 29, 1999. Also attached as Exhibit 2 is set of view graphs which describe and disclose the invention. The view graphs are dated May 18, 1999. The invention was completed and these disclosures were made in the Republic of Korea.

Shortly following the disclosures, a Korean patent application which describes the claimed invention was prepared. The Korean patent application was filed in the Korean Intellectual Property Office on October 21, 1999 and was assigned Korean patent application number 1999-45786.

Between the time just before October 12, 1999, at the latest, and the time of filing the Korean patent application on October 21, 1999, a period of nine days, the undersigned applicant, Applicant(s): Jang-Ho Cho

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his assignee, Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd., and his patent attorneys worked continuously and diligently toward preparing the patent application for filing. This continuous work included meetings, telephone conversations and written communications, which involved myself and other employees of Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd. and one or more of its attorneys. The conversations and work involved developing a description and claims for the invention as well as preparation, review and revision of a draft application, and review, approval and filing of the final application.

The undersigned also hereby declares that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that each willful false statement may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Respectfully submitted,

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